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## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Applicants wish to thank Examiners Meeks and Fletcher for the courteous personal interview of October 11, 2005 at which the art of record and the claims were discussed. Also discussed was the possibility of submitting a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 distinguishing the teaching of the Andersson reference. Applicants are currently considering such a declaration.

With respect to the teaching of Perciwall, as discussed at the interview, this reference is very specific in requiring a particular type of roller for the application of adhesive, and hence one skilled in the art would not look to the Perciwall reference for a teaching of applicants' invention.

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